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To authorize representation by the Senate Legal Counsel in the case of
Jacob R. Kent, et al., v. R.L. Vallee, Inc., et al.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

NOVEMBER 26, 2018

Mr. McCONNELL (for himself and Mr. SCHUMER) submitted the following
resolution; which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

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in the case of *Jacob R. Kent, et al., v. R.L. Vallee,
Inc., et al.*

Whereas, in the case of *Jacob R. Kent, et al., v. R.L. Vallee,
Inc., et al.*, Case No. 617–6–15, pending in the Superior
Court of Vermont in Chittenden County, defendant R.L.
Vallee, Inc. has issued a deposition subpoena for testi-
mony and documents to Daniel McLean, an employee in
Senator Sanders’ office;

Whereas, pursuant to sections 703(a) and 704(a)(2) of the
Ethics in Government Act of 1978, 2 U.S.C. §§ 288b(a)
and 288c(a)(2), the Senate may direct its counsel to rep-
resent current or former Members, officers, and employ-
ees of the Senate with respect to any subpoena, order, or

request for testimony or documents relating to their official responsibilities;

Whereas, by the privileges of the Senate of the United States and Rule XI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, no evidence under the control or in the possession of the Senate may, by the judicial or administrative process, be taken from such control or possession but by permission of the Senate: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the Senate Legal Counsel is author-
2 ized to represent Senator Sanders' office and Mr. McLean
3 in this matter and in all proceedings related to it.

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